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Comments

1. Read Agudzera for Agozeri throughout the report.
2. On page 4, paragraph (c), reference is made to an institute or factory called Electrostahl. Perhaps Elektrostal is meant; however, Elektrostal is in the Moscow area, not near Leningrad.

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PART II - REPORTInstitute at AGOZERI AGUDZERA

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2. Early in July, Dr. BUMI returned to duty and Dr. KUPPIK for personal reasons refused to work under him. As a result, Professor HERTZ set him up in a laboratory on his own and requested him to proceed with the task of producing metallic diaphragms for isotope separation. He had as laboratory assistant AGUDZERA Josef KUESTER. the remainder of his period in AGOZERI was spent in organising his laboratory with the assistance of KUESTER, and he disregarded doing any actual work on metallic diaphragms.

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3. AGUDZERA during the period he was at AGOZERI, Professor HERTZ assisted by a Russian co-worker (name unknown), was engaged on tests of suitability of diaphragms for isotope separation. early in September 1946 Professor LEIPUNSKIY visited the Institute and spent a few weeks there.

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4. following list of personnel who were employed at the Institute

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Professor HERTZ (Head)
 Dr. SCHULTZ (Deputy)
 ORDZHONIKIDZE (fnu) Russian Assistant
 Dr. MÜHLENFORTH
 Dr. ZULKE
 Dr. BUMI
 Dr. HARTMANN

All above were civilians.

The following P.W. personnel were also employed at the Institute.

Dr. HENSCHEL
 Dr. SCHIMMER
 Dr. ICKERT

5. "special" Camp at ILINSKOYE. following specialists already in situ and towards the end of 1950 they had been removed from the various Institutes in which they had been working:-

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Dr. Kurt MOELLER Institute P.O. near MOSCOW

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| Dr. Eberhardt MELOHIO | SINOP |
| Dr. STEUDEL | " |
| Dr. Eric NEUREUTER | " |
| Dr. Willy HOHORST | " and SUNGUL |
| Dr. Hubert UERLINGS | " |
| Dr. Friederich SCHMITZ | SUNGUL |
| Dr. MAULER (fnu) | SINOP |
| Dr. KNAEEL (fnu) | " |
| Dr. KAFKA | " |
| Dr. ZAWADIL | " |
| Dr. Herbert BOETTNER | " |

6. When Dr. RUPPIK was transferred to ILINGSKOYE, he was one of a Group of 48 Specialists which included the following:-

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| Dr. Gotthard MUELLER | SINOP |
| Dr. MOEHR | " |
| Dr. Richard DOLL | " |
| Dr. Martin KREKER | " |
| Dipl. Ing. MEYDELL | " |
| Dr. Andreas HOFFMANN | SUNGUL |
| Dr. Herbert BECKER | " |
| Dr. Viktor WINCKLER | SINOP |
| Dr. Franz HARREN | " |
| Dr. Hans SCHNASSE | " |
| Dr. Herbert HENSCHEL | SUNGUL |
| Dr. Matthias SCHMIDT | " |
| Dr. Wolfgang GRAMBURG | SINOP |
| Dr. Dipl. Ing. Hans MUDRAK | " |
| Dr. Gerhard PRAETORIUS | SUNGUL |

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(a) Institute North of CHELYABINSK

the institute north of CHELYABINSK was located close to the town of KASLI and in the immediate proximity of the village of SUNGUL. In further elaboration of the location he stated that it lay on the southern side of a narrow neck of land between two lakes.

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At that time, the institute consisted of two sanatorium buildings which, according to the Russians stationed there, would constitute the new institute.

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All four refused to do any work but eventually, under pressure, Dr. HENSCHEL and Dr. BECKER agreed to work and in August, 1947, Dr. RUPPIK and SCHEID who still refused to work were transferred to a punishment camp at CHEZKASGAN. in June or July, 1947, Professor TIMOFEEF-RESSOVSKY arrived at the institute and remained there to organise it. He was accompanied by a number of Russian scientists

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In May, 1947, a Dr. BAYER (fnu). arrived with his family.

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Some time later in 1949, when stationed at KERAGANDA, scientists in the institute had been engaged on experiments in the field of protection against atomic radiation.

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(b) Institute POSE, near MOSCOW

[redacted] there
was an institute controlled by a Professor POSE and located
somewhere near MOSCOW. [redacted] names of the following
who had worked there:-

Dr. Kurt MOELLER
Ing. Hans (or Kurt) THOMAS
Adolf DRAWE
Alfred KRAUSE
Otto EDER
Dr. Gerhard PRAETORIUS

(c) ELECTROSTAHL

[redacted] there was an institute, or factory,
called ELECTROSTAHL, located near LENINGRAD. [redacted]

(d) Underground Bunkers at TECH

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